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TELEGRAPHIC

THE SANTA FE FLOODED.

All Trains Delayed by High Water and Broken Bridges.

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COLORADO.

Legislative Doings.

HOUSE MORNING.

DENVER, February 4 —The morning was spent in the first reading of bills and in the consideration of bills in committee of the whole.

S B 25, in regard to placer mines, was returned by the committee with the recommendation that it be indefinitely postponed.

H B 152, in regard to convict labor, was reported with the recommendation that it do pass, also a number of other unimportant bills were considered and reported.

HOUSE—AFTERNOON

At the evening session the special order to consider the apportionment was called up Brush moved to indefinitely postpone it arguing that the constitution did not allow an apportionment to be made until 1885. A long discussion ensued in which Green and Hudson opposed and Coulter supported it. The motion was lost. Coulter moved the bill be referred to a special committee of seven. Brush offered as an amendment that it be referred to the committee of the whole house. Coulter moved to indefinitely postpone. Hudson moved to table Coulter's motion. Carried.

The house then went into committee of the whole.

Speaker Doe urged that the house proceed with the bill without wasting time. Bowles offered a substitute for the bill with a different apportionment. Mr. Coulter renewed his motion to appoint a special committee of seven to whom the bill be referred. Swisher moved to to have the bill taken up by sections, commencing at section 5; lost. Speaker Doe opposed the sliding scale in the bill. Hudson moved to table Coulter's motion; lost. Coulter's motion to refer to a special committee of seven was then put and carried.

The house then resumed its sitting and adjourned till 9 o'clock to morrow morning.

SENATE—MORNING.

This morning's session of the senate was very quiet. After receiving reports of committees the following bills were passed this morning together with several others:

S B 48, in regard to the practice of medicine.

S S 76, the Garfield county bill; ayes 15; nays 5.

The Pitkin county bill; ayes 23; nays 1.

S B 130, to enable cities and towns to fund their indebtedness.

S B 131, to enable counties to fund their indebtedness.

S B 28, to create a criminal court for Lake county.

SENATE—AFTERNOON.

DeFrance offered a resolution calling on the governor for information in regard to the cost of declaring martial law in Leadville, adopted.

A number of bills were then read the third time.

S B 62, in regard to irrigating ditches, was read the third time and passed

S B 9, in regard to the salary of fish commissioners, was discussed by Messrs. Wolcott, Streeter, Corder, Stanger, Eddy, John and others; passed, ayes 15, nays 9

S B 137, relating to judicial apportionment, was taken up and several amendments made, it was then ordered engrossed for final passage The committee rose and the senate adjourned till nine o'clock to morrow morning.

The Santa Fe Flooded

PUEBLO, February 4.—Purgatoire river is high and no eastern mail has arrived for two days and there is no telling when the Santa Fe will be able to get through The track of that company west of Las Animas for a distance of four miles is flooded by about three feet of water while the railroad bridge crossing the Purgatoire is out of sight. There never was such a flood witnessed in that section of the country before. The thaw of snow and ice in the river and its tributaries has swollen the stream to an alarming extent. The Santa Fe company is doing everything in it power to get trains through but there is little use in fighting the elements The track at that point is occupied for about ten or fifteen miles by trains bound for this point. The blockade is complete.

The Pueblo Chieftain this morning publishes the following concerning the flood. The Purgatoire river is on a tear. On Wednesday morning last that stream began to rise rapidly, and before night had flooded its banks in many localities This was particularly the case near Las Animas, and the Santa Fe railroad bridge crossing that stream at that point was flooded by between three and four feet of water. This made it impossible for trains to cross, hence the delay of the eastern passenger In conversation with Mr L Bradley, agent at this point of the Santa Fe company, yesterday, the reporter was informed that for a distance of three miles, between Las Animas and West Las Animas, the Santa Fe railway track was flooded by about two feet of water, while around the bridge the depth of the water could not be estimated. He also stated that no trains over the road would go out or come in during the day This of course caused a great many people to lay over in Pueblo yesterday, and occasioned considerable growling among those who were anxious to go east The company, however, was doing everything in its power to get trains through, and was just as desirous of accomplishing that end as the people, so what could the unfortunates do but to growl and wait? The flood is caused by the rapid thaw of the past few days, melting the snow in the mountains and breaking up the ice on the rivers and their various tributaries Such a thing as the complete breaking up of winter in the middle of January was never before witnessed even in this mild climate, and the oldest settler is wondering what the unprecedented weather means, The Apishapa and Huerfano are also flooding their banks and causing considerable damage to ranchmen living along the banks of the streams. The streams all naturally run very rapidly, and when they become swollen by their various tributaries the water carries away everything in its mad career. Even the placid Arkansas seems to be inclined to get its back up, and was yesterday rising rapidly, but it will take a pretty big thaw to flood its banks, as there is considerable room between shores

Stage Robbery.

DENVER, February 4 Information was received in this city this morning to the effect that the eastern bound mail from Del Norte was robbed at a point about five miles east of the town. The place in question is some little distance west of the Rio Grande river and is where a steep hill compels the stage to proceed at a very slow rate of speed. A Mexican plaza is close at hand but at the time when the robbery was committed of course all the inhabitants were sound asleep. The San Juan mail from Silverton, Ouray, Animas Forks, Mineral City and adjoining camps is carried to Alamosa from Lake City by Barlow & Sanderson's line of coaches. They arrive in Del Norte about 11 o'clock at night, and having taken on such sacks as go further east and left those that remain, the stage proceeds on its journey down the San Luis valley to Alamosa. Last night the coach was a little late and it was midnight before it left Del Norte. When about five miles out, as above mentioned, the road agents put in an appearance and the stage was stopped. All the registered and first class matter were rifled, and the valuable contents taken, and then the coach was permitted to proceed upon its way. The number of scoundrels engaged in the robbery is uncertain, some reports placing it at two and others at three, and the aggregate of the total loss incurred is also impossible to get at just now.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

DEL NORTE, February 4 —A special to the Chieftain says that Barlow & Sanderson's coach was stopped and robbed by highwaymen on Thursday night when within five miles of Del Norte The gang of highwaymen consisted of three mounted men and they made a clean sweep of everything, robbing the passengers and carrying off the United States mail bags and the company's treasure sack. The value of their booty is considerable. A posse of citizens are after the robbers.

Attempted Suicide.

LEADVILLE, February 4 —Mrs. Smith, who had trouble with Mrs. Webber Thursday night regarding Mr. Webber, attempted suicide today. A stomach pump prevented its consummation.

Little Pittsburg Strikes It

DENVER, February 4.—The Republican's Leadville special says the rise in the stock of the Little Pittsburg has been a conundrum here for some days and now it is apparent that an immense ore body has been struck. The levels had been run too low. An ore body ten feet in thickness of the richest ore ever found in the Pittsburg control has been struck. Assays show two hundred to a thousand ounces.

GENERAL NEWS.

Washington News.

AMENDING THE FUNDING BILL

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4 —The senate finance committee amended the funding bill making the bonds 5 20 3½ per cents and the certificates 1 10 with not over 3½ per cent interest, all interest is payable semi-annually, striking out the Carlisle amendment compelling national banks to use new bonds as security and changing the laws concerning the regulating of the circulating notes. The committee substitute two new sections requiring the security of national banks to consist wholly of United States bonds and making the expense of placing the new bonds an l ce tificates not over ½ p r cent instead of ¼, thus amended they recommend its passa

AID FOR THE JEANNETTE

The president to day sent both houses of congress a communication received by him from the secretary of the navy relative to the dispatching of a vessel to search for the Jeannette polar expedition In this letter, which the president commends to the favorable action of congress Secretary Goff says I have considered the letter of Chief Justice Daly, president of the American geographical society, relating to the relief vessel for the Jeannette polar expedition The propriety of sending such a relief expedition is fully concurred in and we need therefore examine the means only to be employed Judge Daly suggests the Galena, now on the Mediterranean, as a vessel suitable for this expedition It is unnecessary to say that any naval vessel destined to be sent on such service, must have her battery removed and undergo extensive strengthening and alteration to prepare her to encounter ice. The crew must be reduced to a number deemed just sufficient, they must be equipped at the expense of the government with furs and other clothing adapted to the regions of Arctic winter, and provisions for a period of a year or more, with food of a character not found in navy ration and carry besides surplus for relief purposes. A naval vessel that is so formed would lose the destructive features of a man of war yet be well calculated for a polar expedition. To start the Galena on this service supposing her to push forward via the Suez canal, Hong Kong and Patropanbooski, through Behring straits to Herald Island she would have to travel a distance of some twelve thousand miles requiring 91 days at sea and at least 44 days in port replenishing her coal supply or a total of 4½ months. This, without making any allowance for time of preparation above indicated as indispensable. Supposing her to start at once she could not reach Herald island before June 15, while it is admitted she should properly reach the island fully equipped by July 1. This could not be done. The Galena then, no matter how well she may be adapted for expedition is not available. The navy has, however, on the Pacific a vessel fully as well adopted as the Galena for such relief and search expedition. This vessel, the Massachusetts, is now at Panama and will soon be on her way to San Francisco She is a screw steamer of 1,575 tons displacement, carrying in her bunkers 190 tons, uses coal and consumes at full power 30 tons per day or half power 16 tons. Should it be deemed expedient to start this vessel for the relief expedition no time should be lost. She must be hastened to Mare Island navy yard and the work of transferring and strengthening her be commenced at once. There is now at San Francisco a steamer built and equipped for whale fishing in the Arctic regions, having passed last season above Behring's Straits where her whaling venture was very successful. I am informed that this vessel, peculiarly fitted for the purpose in hand, can be chartered or purchased. It would seem advisable to obtain her and send her at once to Mare island navy yard, to be repaired and equipped. She should be, of course, officered and manned by the navy, and come under its discipline and control. This would require an appropriation of $75,000, which is apparently greater than necessary to equip a man-of-war, but when we consider that a vessel would be lost to the navy by conversion, it would be most economical to purchase. Furthermore, the purchased vessel will require a complement of officers and crew of thirty, whereas the Massachusetts could not be sent with less than 120 men. She can render good service, and the experience of her personnel in the Arctic search should not be lost.

FOLLOWING THE SECRETARY'S SUGGESTION.

On motion of McPherson a bill passed the senate appropriating $175,000 to send a vessel to the relief of the Jeannette and other vessels found needing assistance.

Stocks and Bonds.

NEW YORK, February 4

Silver bars, 111¼. Money easy, 3@6. Governments steady. Stocks closed firm Following are the quotations.

Western Union.	115½	C P. bonds	113½
Quicksilver	14½	Sutro Tunnel.	1⅛
Pacific Mail	51½	D. & R. G. old	
Mariposa. ...	3	bonds.	114¼
Wells, Fargo ..	118	D & R G consols	112¼
N.Y Central....	146¾	D & R G stock. .	97
Erie	48⅜	Coal & Iron Co	
Panama....	.227	bonds	97
Union Pacific ..	116	Coal & Iron Co.	
U P. bonds	113⅝	stock.	50½
Central Pacific...	87¼		

Destroying Victorio's Band

SANTA FE, February 4 On Monday Colonel Bayles, with twenty six Texas rangers, surprised the remnant of Victorio's band, sixty miles north of Quitman, killing six and capturing three alive They also secured twenty horses and mules

Earthquake in New York

POUGHKEEPSIE, February 4 —Reports from along the Hudson, between here and Newburg, seem to show that a shock of earthquake was distinctly felt in parts of Ulster and Orange counties on Thursday morning at 4 30 o'clock. It is reported that it was also felt at the same time in a portion of Pennsylvania. The shock is described as a quick, sharp report, followed by a low, rumbling sound, during which, in some places, the houses were made to tremble, and pe r s were hurled from their seats It lasted about thirty seconds

Gift for Grant

CHICAGO, February 4 —The Tribune's New York special says Hector Jane of the Times, was happy yesterday in the receipt of a $25 000 check for the Grant fund He said he could not have raised twice the amount he did for Grant in the same time. The entire amount will be over $100,000 It is known that Mackey of California, Gould and Vanderbilt each subscribed $25 000, and Sidney Dillon $18 000

Killing Indians

ST LOUIS February 4 —Official information is said to have been received at Fort Davis, Texas, that Col Bayles and Lieut. Neville, of the state ranger, joined forces on January 28th, and with twenty seven men surprised a band of Indians on the Sierra Diavalo mountains They killed six and captured three squaws. These Indians are believed to be the same band that have been committing depredations and murders on the border for months past.

Small Pox

CHICAGO, February 4 The small pox has appeared at the county poor house at Jefferson Seventeen cases were quarantined in a temporary hospital Tuesday, and yesterday there were eleven cases reported there The inmates number 1300, the insane asylum adjoining. The fact has been carefully kept secret.

Delinquent Legislators

NEW YORK, February 4.—The San Francisco Times commenting on the speedy ratification of the consolidation agreed to by the telegraph companies yesterday says it is in glaring contrast with the dilatory conduct of the senate at Albany which postponed action on the bill passed in the assembly on Wednesday by referring it to a committee with a view to beating it some time next week This course appears to have been taken at the instance of the counsel of the telegraph companies and for the purpose of allowing the consolidation to be fully effected. Herein the senate has given one more evidence of its subserviency to the great corporations of the state where their interests come in conflict with those of the people. There is little hope of protecting public interest by fostering competition in the general business of the telegraph A bill has been introduced in the assembly limiting rates by law to the lowest point charged by either company before the consolidation which reminds us that the power of the state to regulate the conduct of a corporation which it has created and upon which it has conferred a valuable franchise still remains. What may be done in this direction and how effective it may be made are questions for careful consideration.

There will be a reduction in the telegraph companies' force at an early day. Separate offices will probably be maintained here till the leases of their quarters expire. The report is denied that headquarters will be removed to Boston to avoid hostile legislation. There is an active movement toward the organization of opposition lines for the benefit of commercial bodies.

BOSTON, February 4. Chester Snow and J. N. Stover have petitioned the legislature in behalf of a new telegraph construction company, to be known as the States Union company, capital $500,000 cash, with the right to increase to $15 000 000. Rapid work is promised, and 800 miles are to be built forthwith.

Condition of the Wool Market.

BOSTON, February 4 The demand for the past week has been moderate. Dealers complain of dull trade, although the sales have been 1 750,000 pounds, large enough apparently to give a steadier and firmer tone to the market The extreme cold weather keeps buyers from operating and has interfered with business generally for weeks past. In fine fleeces some further concessions have been made, otherwise the tone of the market remains the same and there is a confident feeling that more active movements are near at hand. If one enterprising buyer purchased to any considerable extent others would soon follow and the present available supplies would be materially reduced in a short time.

Mexican Telegraph Cable.

NEW YORK, February 4 —The president of the Mexican telegraph company has received telegrams announcing the completion of the Texas-Tampico section of the Mexican telegraph company's cable The Vera Cruz section will be laid in a few days.

No Quo Warranto.

ALBANY, February 4 —The attorney general has decided to take no action in the matter of the petition for an application to him for a quo warranto against the consolidation telegraph company The attorney general bases his decision upon Judge Barrett's that the companies have a perfect right under the law of 1870 to consolidate He therefore decides the matter not one in which his department should interfere

FOREIGN.

The Suspended Home Rulers

LONDON, February 4 —Four hundred extra police were on duty near the house of commons yesterday The expelled home rulers will take their seats again to day The names of the home rule members of parliament suspended are. Dillon, Parnell Barry Bygar, Bayrne, Carbet, Gray, Henry, Dawson, Finnegan, Gill, Lalor, Leary, Leahr, Metcalfe, McCoan, Marman, Metz, Nelson, Corrier, Arthur, Thos P O'Connor, Power, Redmond, Sexton, Smith, A M Sullivan, T D Sullivan, Malloy, Richard Power, O'Shaughnessy, O'Donnell, O'Kelly

The home rulers expelled from the house yesterday had a meeting last night, at which they declared to issue a manifesto to the Irish people denouncing the conduct of the house but advising the people to keep within the lines of the constitution.

The night in the Irish districts might be terrible in extreme yesterday 400 tenants were evicted in the vicinity of the town of Cloyne

Irish Indignation

DUBLIN, February 4 —The news of the arrest of Michael Davitt produced great indignation in this city Many indignation meetings have already been held

Freedom of Debate

LONDON, February 4 —In the commons today the speaker on his chair read a statement that he would use the authority entrusted to him with circumspection so as to ensure freedom of debate, and that he would shortly lay rules before the house, meanwhile he will make a rule the practical effect of which will be to prevent a member who is dissatisfied with an answer to a question moving the adjournment of the house

Forster rose at 5 p m, amid cheers, to move a second reading of the protection bill.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The Missouri state senate has killed the whipping post bill

The New York assembly has tabled a resolution of sympathy with the Irish people and regretted the course of the British government.

The Boston Irish national land league have issued a proclamation to its members and the American people, asking aid and sympathy for the Irish.

Dr Fordyce Barker, the re elected president of the New York Academy of Medicine, last night delivered an inaugural address in which he estimated that the pecuniary loss to the city of New York in one year for diphtheria, scarlet fever and other diseases arising from preventable causes exceeds the city debt

OUT WEST.

Ouray has an excellent brass band.

Rico complains loudly of unjust taxation.

Alpine is said to be the busiest town in the state just now.

Ouray has three church edifices the Episcopalian, Methodist, and Presbyterian

Saguache claims to have doubled its population since the enumeration for the census in June.

The first white man to put his cabin within the limits of Pueblo county was Charles Autobees, who located on the Huerfano in 1852.

The Club held their semi monthly dancing social in Court House Hall last evening.

LOST.

LOST—On Friday, between George Aux's house and public school house, a gold breastpin, with coral in centre. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to Sanders & Aux's livery stable b 5 tf

FOR SALE.

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FOR SALE—House and two lots on Tejon street, adjoining John Curr's residence. Enquire of J A Nichols, on the premises. b 5tf

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FOR SALE—Ranch two miles from town, 100 acres in all, 120 under fence. This ranch has the oldest water right on a well supplied ditch It will be sold at a bargain Also some property in Colorado City. Apply at this office. b 3 14*

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WANTED—One thousand laborers for D. & R G extensions Apply to J A McMurtrie, Alamosa, D C Dodge, Denver, or R P Westbrec, Colorado Springs f 23 tf

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[Signed] H M TURNEY,
GEO. TURNEY.

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New house of 6 rooms on N Weber; excellent location. Price $2,900.

Very desirable house of 7 rooms, on corner lot facing east, N Weber st; centrally located and a very desirable property. Price $3,500.

One story brick house of 4 rooms on S Weber st; city water. Price $1,200.

Neat one story cottage of 5 rooms on S Nevada ave; lot 50x190. Price $1,600.

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Hon. Emory Storrs is the most popular candidate for attorney general in Garfield's cabinet.

We are now sure of the paternity of our institutions. Our congress is evidently copied from the English parliament.

Our representatives will not ask the state to beautify our capitol grounds as Denver's asked to have the capitol grounds in their city beautified.

Senator Teller took his wisest step in the Indian discussion a few days ago. He proposed to educate Indian children in our agricultural college.

It has been said lately that Garfield does not personally know Routt. This has given the friends of Routt great assurance that he will be appointed to the cabinet.

Those who are waiting for ex-Governor Routt's appointment to the postmaster generalship to get some fat position in his department, had better provide for contingencies.

The Denver Tribune summed up the result of the vote night before last by saying the "Denver and Rio Grande, by its real work for Colarado, has defeated arbitrary railroad legislation."

Yesterday the capitol grounds were selected. They will be under the shadow of Colorado's greatest land mark, Pike's Peak. The ground for the buildings will not be broken for two years.

Commenting on the relations between President Hayes and Senator Conkling, the Chicago Inter-Ocean says it "would not willingly believe that Mr. Hayes would harbor resentment." Well, we should remark.

The senate finance committee has done a wise thing in increasing the interest on the new loan to 3½ per cent., and also in extending the time for their redemption. These two amendments will insure the success of the new loan.

The committee on investigating the Arapahoe assessment is not idle. The assessor's books are being carefully examined and the result will show more than was claimed. The Arapahoe county members of the legislature enlarged the scope of the investigation not to exculpate their county but to delay the investigation and prevent a report.

The republican members of the national house are not factious in their opposition to the apportionment bill, but they do not propose to allow a democratic partisan measure to pass without a protest. The number selected for the representation is the number which will give the greatest increase in representation to the south. The south by it gains twelve, the west ten, and the east loses four members. The net gain in the solid north is therefore only six, while that of the solid south is twelve. The measure ought to be defeated.

WANT OF CONSTRUCTION LABORERS.

Now that it is evident the legislature will not pass any railroad bills this session which shall interfere with the raising of money for the Rio Grande extensions into different portions of the state, the only obstacle in the way of the rapid completion of the proposed extensions is the want of labor. This was the main obstacle last year. There will be plenty of work for at least 10,000 additional laborers at fair compensation. During the past year and up to the first of this month the Rio Grande Extension Co laid the following track, which shows the amount already accomplished

	Miles
From Canon City to Leadville	125
" Leadville to Robinson's Camp	16½
" Malta en route to Red Cliff	10
" South Arkansas to Poncha Springs	5½
" Canon City en route to Silver Cliff	4
" Colorado Springs to Manitou	5
" Alamosa, via Antonito, to Chama	92
" Antonito to Espanola, New Mexico	93
To Douglass stone quarry	3
To coal fields in Fremont county	2
Total	356

There are now under way to be constructed this year the following extensions

1. From Antonito to the San Juan mining country and beyond.
2. From Poncha Springs to Maysville.
3. From Poncha Springs to the Gunnison mining country.
4. From Leadville to Ten Mile mining country and beyond.
5. From Malta to Red Cliff mining country and beyond.
6. From Canon City to Silver Cliff.

These extensions in round numbers will require at least 400 miles more grading and track laying. Financial arrangements have been made for doing this work. The only element needed is labor. There is much more labor idle in the east than is needed to do this work. The problem is to bring this idle or superabundant labor into our market where it can be easily sold. A great aid to the solution would be an agitation of the subject in our state papers which would attract the attention of eastern readers and exchanges. We are all interested in the rapid construction of railroads in the state, and we can best aid in this matter by giving the widest circulation to the fact that the Rio Grande Extension company now has work for at least ten thousand more laborers. We trust the state press will take this action.

HOUSE PERSONALS

Age, Nativity and Occupations of the Members

Denver Correspondence Leadville Democrat

There are forty nine members of the Colorado house of representatives, of whom thirteen are democrats, as follows. Aguilar, Beshoar and Martinez, of Las Animas county, Baker, of Gunnison, Cox and Orman, of Pueblo, Cruz and Martinez, of Huerfano, Lee, of Jefferson, McClure, of La Plata, Nutter, of Hinsdale, Prowers, of Bent, and Swisher, of Summit.

It is a remarkable fact that natives of Colorado are more numerous in our house of representatives than are the natives of any other state. Of course they are all Mexicans and are credited to New Mexico, but were born on what is now Colorado soil. They are Aguilar and Martinez, of Las Animas, Cruz and Martinez, of Huerfano, Garcia and Valdez, of Conejos, and Salazar, of Costilla seven in all.

Next come the six New Yorkers; Doe and Coulter, of Clear Creek, Barker, of El Paso; Breath, of Boulder; Lumry, of Weld, and McCandlass, of Fremont.

Illinois is equally strong with six members Bryan, of Clear creek, Cox, of Pueblo, Johnson, of Larimer, Lyon, of Gilpin, Rowen, of Custer and Smart, of Grand.

Ohio gives us only four of her numerous statesmen Brush, of Weld, Dickson, of Boulder, Meyers, of Arapahoe and Swisher, of Summit.

Maine sends two Ballard, of Gilpin, and Green, of Boulder.

Massachusetts two—Baker, of Gunnison, and King, of Clear Creek.

Wisconsin two Bergh, of Park, and Wise, of Boulder.

Iowa two Hartman, of Saguache, and Orman, of Pueblo.

Michigan two—Horner, of Rio Grande, and Oatman, of Arapahoe.

Virginia two Miller, of Hinsdale, and Gunnell, the colored member from Arapahoe.

Pennsylvania, which predominates in the senate with six senators, only has one native in the house, and he is Dr. Beshoar, the eminent democrat, of Las Animas.

Connecticut has Burchard, of Arapahoe; New Hampshire, Foster, of El Paso; North Carolina, Bowles, of Arapahoe; Alabama, McClure, of La Plata, and Missouri, Prowers, of Bent.

Of foreigners there are six: Engle of Douglass, Gebhard of Elbert, and Lauter of Arapahoe, are Germans; Lee of Jefferson and Bunny of Gilpin are Englishmen, while Hudson of San Juan, is a Canadian.

Five of the members are below thirty, viz. Bryan 25, Aquilar 26, Garcia 26, Cruz 28 and Hartman 28

Twenty one members, almost half the number, are between thirty and forty, viz: Baker 30, Hudson 30, Miller 30, Horner 32 Oatman 32, Orman 32, Wise 32, Salazer 32, Bunny 33, Lyon 34, Meyers 34, Lauter 35 Gebhard 35, Carpenter 35, A. Martinez 36, J. Martinez 37, Swart 37, Swisher 37, Green 38, Coulter 38 and Lee 39.

Sixteen members are between forty and fifty, viz. Barker 40, Cox 41, Johnson 41, McClure 41, King 42, Brush 42, Valdez 43, Prowers 43, McCandlass 43, Rowen 44, Bowles 44, Berg 45, Gunnell 45, Dickson 46, Foster 48 and Ballard 49

Five members are between fifty and sixty, viz: Birchard 50, Beshoar 52, Engle 53, Breath 55.

Speaker Doe, who is sixty-three, is the only one who has reached three score, and is eight years older than the aged looking Mr. Breath, who is called the father of the house, and who looks to be ten years older than the speaker.

Mr. Doe is in every way exceptional, and deserving of the speakership. He is the oldest, heaviest, tallest, broadest, smartest and best looking member of the body.

New England has five members in the house, and the solid south the same number.

None of the members were born west of the Mississippi except Mr. Prowers, who saw the light first in Missouri, and the seven Colorado Mexicans. Mr Prowers is the oldest Anglo-Saxon citizen of Colorado in the house, having come here just a quarter of a century ago.

The farmers and stock raisers, or grangers, constitute the most numerous class in the house, and number sixteen, viz Bowles, Brush, Cruz, Engle, Foster, Garcia, Gebhard, Hartman, Horner, Johnson, Lumry, McCandless, McClure, Prowers, Smart and Valdez

Lawyers, merchants and miners are equally numerous, there being seven members to each of the three classes The lawyers are Carpenter, Coulter, Green, Hudson, Swisher and Bryan The miners are Doe, Ballard, Breath, Bunny, Hoagland, King and Wise The merchants are Salazar, Oatman, H J Martinez, Lee, Birchard, Baker and Aguilar

Barker and Bergh are hotel keepers, Beshoar is a physician, Orman a contractor, Nutter a freighter, Dickson a miller, Cox a lumberman, A. Martinez, a carpenter, Myers a railroad man, Lyon a teacher, and Gunnell, the colored statesman, is a barber.

All the members have wives except Nutter, Bryan Bunny, Birchard, Aguilar and Gunnell, who are open to conviction and liable to capture. Among these seven single men the ladies who are ambitious to "marry into the legislature" have a wide field for choice. Two are old and five are young. One is a Yankee, one a sucker, one an Englishman, one a southerner, two are Mexicans and one is a negro. "You pays your money and you takes your choice."

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or so nothing, then to a Christian sepulchre is his receiving the host the rose the light, the excitement the heat constantly extinguish the flickering flame of life where the priests and their sacred burden have reached home he to whom they have ministered has passed away

But there are some terrible diseases in which the host cannot be administered, and oh how bitter is this to the friends and relations who stand around the sick man's couch, since, to a Spaniard to die without having been fortified by the last rites of the church, which, with her dying it may be but still beauteous charms and graces, has wound herself round his heart from a day when a little child he looked with reverence around the dark aisles and heard with awe the pealing notes of the organ roll from wall to wall—to die without the last rites is bitter indeed! Yet the church is not powerless She has her own *dernier resort* The patient has the vomit and would throw up the forma, or wafer, the host cannot be administered, or, he is too far gone to swallow it, it cannot be. So the friends are consulted, and they say "We desire or his behalf, that the church should give him extreme unction," which is done, only however in desperate cases The bedclothes are turned down; with due decency the forehead, chest, soles of the feet, etc, are "anointed with oil in the name of the Lord," and the kiss is given, and the sufferer dies and goes to glory.

Hence the Spanish proverb. "Yo soy como los oleados" that is, I am as one who has received extreme unction, that is so far gone that it does not matter who sees my nakedness! How many a dying person have I heard use this striking expression. So strong and clinging a hold has this church phraseology taken upon the minds of the lower and middle classes—even a man heavily in debt, and no longer able to conceal the fact, will say, "I am as one who has received extreme unction!"

The Field of Gravelotte.

San Francisco Californian

On a warm August day I rode out over the battlefield of Gravelotte. The dusty road lead us through the suburbs, crosses the Moselle at Devant les Ponts, and gradually ascends to the plateau along which the French army lay, through what were then woods, but are now, for military reasons, cut away. Riding through the little village of Amanvillers, we came to the village of St. Privat and, a little further on, to the hamlet of Carriers de Jaumont. Around St. Privat, and this last named hamlet was the right wing of the French, and where they were finally driven back by the Saxons. Naturally, the fighting was hot, and the houses and walls still bear evidences of the rough storm of iron and lead that played around them. It must be recollected that a French village is not at all like ours. It is a collection of stone houses with tile roofs, crowded together, side by side, along one or two narrow streets; and the walls which surround the little gardens and enclosures around it are compact stone structures, laid in mortar and covered with a coat of plaster.

These walls are usually about five feet in height, so that the village is like a little fortification to the troops in possession of it. The French troops had their lines for miles along the plateau, the centre and left along and in front of the woods already mentioned. In front the open country falls away in a slight declination. One can look for miles across fields, which just now were being harvested, and were coated with the yellow stubble. Here and there are the huddled together villages and hamlets, with their red tiled roofs.

I then turned and rode along the rear of the German line to Gravelotte, where I stopped for lunch at the little inn with the magniloquent name of Horse of Gold.

Scattered all over its stretch of miles over which the armies fought are monuments erected to the fallen, the more pretentious by the different German regiments to their perished members Here and there are mounds with a simple cross, where perhaps a hundred or two bodies were collected and hastily buried After lunch I took a walk about the village of Gravelotte, and, seeing a collection of persons in a graveyard, walked in In this little enclosure, I was told, about two thousand men had been buried. There were a few headstones and monuments, but the mass were left without mementoes. One little headstone attracted my attention from the little wreath of oak leaves, which had evidently been recently placed on the grave. The inscription neatly traced upon it ran thus.

"Here reposes in God, fallen for king and fatherland in the battle of Gravelotte, my dearly beloved and never to be-forgotten husband, Fritz Denbard, captain Fifty-ninth infantry regiment. We shall see each other again."

I found the people were watching a laborer digging up bones, skulls, and bits of shoes and clothing, and throwing them pell-mell into a long wooden box The box was already nearly full, and yet he had not gone more than a foot below the surface I was told that hundreds had been thrown into a pit here and they were transferring the remains to another point. The spectacle was not a very pleasant one, and I soon turned away

A little way out of Gravelotte toward Metz, about where was the centre of the French left, I rode over a piece of road bounded on one side by a ravine and on the other by a bluff bank, up which four hundred German cavalry charged to take a battery of *mitrailleuse* on the plateau on the top, and every man and horse was killed or wounded All about this point the lightning was terrific, and all around are the monuments and crosses over the burial places of the fallen. My way back into Metz led through Ronzevilles, where the extreme left of the French was posted. It is not difficult on the ground for even an unmilitary person to see that the French had the advantage of position, and that the Germans, in order to attack all along the line with vigor, had to have many more men than their opponents and in order to turn the right wing, had to march a long distance over an open country where there was no cover from the sweeping fire of battalions of infantry with long range guns One can therefore understand why the Germans lost so many men, and can also appreciate the obstinate nature of their onslaught

The Bowie Knife Its Invention and First Use

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A feud had existed for years between two parties of the parish of Rapides Mission Red river The principals were Dr Maddox Major Wright and the Blue family on the one part the Currey, the Wellses and the Bowies on the other A challenge had passed between Dr Maddox and Samuel Wells a meeting was arranged to take place near Natchez Mississippi in September 1827 Hither the parties repaired with their friends It was agreed that no persons should be present but the combatants, their seconds and surgeons The place of meeting was a large sand bar immediately below the upper bluff, near Natchez The sand bar at low water is of considerable width bordered above and below with forest growth on the opposite side of this bar were stationed the friends of each party, one of these parties was something nearer the combatants than the other Colonel Crane was the second of Maddox Between him and James Bowie and General Currey there had long existed a deadly feud, and some months before this affair General Currey shot Colonel Crane with a shotgun on Bayou Rapides, disabling one of his arms.

The parties to the duel approached the spot selected for the combat from different directions. The preliminaries were soon arranged The combatants took their positions and exchanged two shots without effect, and the difficulty was amicably adjusted.

Bowie was just in the edge of the woods with Generals Wells and Currey, armed with pistols, Bowie carrying a huge knife. As the dueling party started to leave the grounds Bowie and party started to meet them. The friends of Maddox and Crane on the opposite side of the sand bar seeing this and being furthest from the party started in a run to meet them as soon as they should reach the retiring combatants, General Currey was the first on the ground, closely followed by Bowie Currey immediately advanced upon Colonel Crane and remarked, "Colonel Crane, this is a good time to settle our difficulty," and commenced drawing his pistol. Bowie did the same. Crane was armed with a brace of dueling pistols and standing awaited the attack of Currey. At this moment Currey was seized by his brother and begged to desist. Bowie and Crane fired at each other, it was said; without effect. There were those who said Bowie was wounded. This latter statement I think most probable, for Bowie stopped, felt of his hip and then drawing his knife limped toward Crane, who was watching General Currey. Released from the hold of his brother Currey was advancing. At this moment Crane leaped across a small ravine cut through the sand by the rainwater flowing from the acclivities above and, resting his pistol upon his crippled arm, fired at Currey, wounding him fatally. He fell.

Crane was now disarmed and Bowie advanced cautiously upon him. Clubbing his pistol he struck Bowie over the head, as he avoided his knife adroitly, and felled him to the ground. Crane retreated a step, as his friend Major Wright approached. Bowie, in the meantime, had risen, and was sustaining himself by holding on to a snag which the river when at flood had left sticking in the sand. Major Wright advanced upon him, and with a long, slender spear attacked Bowie, who made a pass to parry the spear with his knife, in which he failed. The spear was of cold iron, and striking the breast bone bent and went round upon the rib. Bowie at this moment seized Wright and fell, pulling Wright down with and on top of him and holding him strongly to his person. Wright was a slender, and by means a strong man and was powerless in the hands of Bowie, who coolly said to him: "Now, Major, you die!" and plunging the knife into his heart killed him instantly.

The knife was made by Resin P. Bowie out of a blacksmith's rasp, or large file, and was the original of the famous Bowie knife. When James Bowie received it from his brother he was told by him that it was "strong and of admirable temper. It is more trustworthy in the hands of a strong man than a pistol, for it will not snap. Crane and Wright are both your enemies, they are from Maryland, the birthplace of our ancestors, and are as brave as you are, but not so cool. They are both inferior in strength to yourself and therefore not your equal in a close fight. They are both dangerous, but Wright the most so Keep this knife always with you. It will be your friend in a last resort and may save your life" After this conflict Resin P. Bowie carried this knife to Philadelphia, where it was fashioned by a cutler into the form of a model made by him, and I presume the knife is yet in the possession of some members of the family.

There was no reconciliation between Crane and Bowie after the conflict, though Crane aided personally in carrying Bowie from the ground, and Bowie thanked him and said. "Colonel Crane, I do not think under the circumstances you ought to have shot me" Almost immediately upon the attack of Currey upon Crane the fight between their friends became general, in which there were several wounded, but Wright and Currey were the only persons killed All the men engaged in this terrible affair were men of wealth and high social position, and the two parties included almost every man of fortune in the extensive and wealthy parish of Rapides. All are gone save Maddox and Wells, both very old and still residing in the same parish

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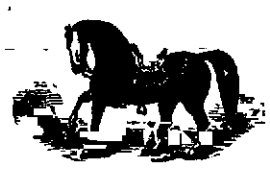

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TIME TABLE.

Colorado Springs & Manitou R'y.

GOING EAST.

Leave Manitou.	Arrive Colorado Springs.
8 a. m.	9.30 a. m.
11 a. m.	11 20 a. m.
2.30 p m.	3 55 p m.
5.00 p m.	6.20 p. m.

GOING WEST.

Leave Colorado Springs	Arrive at Manitou.
10 a. m.	10 30 a. m.
12 30 p. m	12.20 p m.
4.40 p. m.	5 p. m
6 40 p. m.	7 p m.

Denver and Rio Grande Railway.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH	TRAINS GOING NORTH.
Through Freight.	*Way Freight.*
Arrive ..... 2.15 P. M	Arrive .....10.55 A. M
Leave ..... 2.55 P. M	Leave .....11 35 A. M
Leadville Express	*Eastern Express.*
Arrive.....11:35 A. M.	Arrive..... 4:12 P M
Leave.....11:40 A. M.	Leave..... 4:16 P M
San Juan Express	*San Juan Express*
Arrive.....10 40 P. M.	Arrive..... 3 10 A. M
Leave .....10.50 P. M.	Leave ..... 3 15 A. M

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Executors " " "	4 00
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All other notices of the same kind " "	5 00
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Land notices, one party only.....	5 50
Land notices, for each party after first in same notice	2 50
Trustee's and Sheriff's Sales.....	8 00

B. W. SNERE,
Manager of the GAZETTE.
ABE ROBERTS,
Proprietor of Mountaineer,

Contents of the Weekly Gazette.

The Weekly GAZETTE for January 15th appears this morning and presents an interesting table of contents.

The first page is devoted to miscellany, and opens with an extended account of some of the famous practical jokes played by the comedian the late E. A. Sothern. A description of the photophone is given and a column of personals.

The second page is devoted to telegraphic news and gives the latest information as to what is going on in all parts of the world.

In the editorial department will be found a discussion of railroad legislation, and some remarks on one of Colorado's rare specimens. In addition there are editorial comments on affairs both at home and abroad.

Among the local articles there are several of more than usual interest. The report concerning the financial condition of Colorado College is one of these and the account of the fireman's parade is another. "Baalam on a Bender" is a story concerning the adventures of the Pike's Peak government mule who recently escaped from the signal service officers and roamed at large for several days. The description of the manner in which the Chinese in this city celebrated their New Year's day will be found interesting. There is a full report of the marriage of Mr. J. E. Hundley and Miss Carrie Atherton. A letter from the regular correspondent of the GAZETTE at Leadville is given. The market reports, letter lists and real estate transfers will be found. In addition there are a large number of local articles, personals and items of general interest. The list is too extended to quote.

There will be a missionary concert exercise at the Congregational church tomorrow evening.

There will be a special communication of El Paso Lodge, No. 13, A. F. & A. M., at their hall to-night. Work on the first degree.

Mr. J. A. Nichols offers for sale the house and lots adjoining Mr. John Curr's residence on Tejon street. The property is well located and is a good bargain for the purchaser.

The attention of our fruit growers is again called to the meeting at the library rooms this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A pomological society will be organized. No expenses will be attached to membership.

The firm of Turney Bros. has dissolved partnership and a legal notice to that effect will be found in another column. Mr. Harry Turney has withdrawn and the business in the future will be carried on by Mr. George Turney.

The Rev. R. W. Purdue hands us the following: "An anniversary discourse will be delivered at the Cumberland Presbyterian church, next Sabbath, at 11 a. m., by the pastor. The church was organized on the 4th of February, 1810, and it is our custom on the first Sabbath in each February to deliver a discourse on its origin, progress and doctrines. A full attendance is desired Will you come and hear the statement of the Lord's work in this young and growing denomination?"

The Congregational congregation appears to be increasing quite rapidly judging from the following item which we find in the Congregational News: "We, that is, the editorial we, and our wife, have recently called on a large number of new comers, babies we mean, in our congregation. Of course we compared them with one another, and, with no fear of their mothers before our eyes, we hereby make public the results of our comparisons. No. 1 was the prettiest; No. 2, the handsomest; No. 3, the sweetest; No. 4, the best looking; No. 5, the smartest; No. 6, the brightest; No. 7, the loveliest; No 8, the darlingest; No. 9, the rosiest; No. 10, the best baby we ever saw with certain honest exceptions."

The Little Miami.

The Leadville Herald of yesterday has the following. "The Little Miami is located just below the Scooper and Hard Cash, on Yankee hill, and joins a portion of the territory of the Denver City consolidation. The claim is mostly owned by Colorado Springs parties. For a long time the mine was worked by a whim, but the depth became so great, an Ensminger & Davis engine was put up, of twenty horse power, during the summer; and for a time work was prosecuted with this. Water coming in rapidly, the first engine was found insufficient, and then the company again remodeled its works The shaft house was changed and enlarged and new machinery was ordered. A large Cornish eight inch pump was put in, a thirty-five horse power engine put up, and late in December the works were again started. In the meantime, during the delay of putting in the new machinery, the water had flooded the mine to the depth of over a hundred feet, and all the lower drifts were filled. The shaft is four hundred feet in depth, and therefore with a flood of water it can readily be seen it is no small undertaking to work the mine. After several weeks of constant pumping the water was lowered to a depth of fifty feet from the bottom, when no further progress could apparently be made. After struggling for a while with it in this state, last week one of the lifts of the pump broke. The breakage was repaired as quickly as possible, but during the short delay it was found the water had raised in the shaft a distance of twenty-six feet. The pump was again started, but as little progress was made work has been abandoned. It is evident the present machinery is not sufficient to control the water, and either larger works will have to be put in or the mine must be abandoned. After so great an expenditure, it is doubtful if the present company will undertake the new outlay, and the company will likely have to be reorganized or the mine will remain idle for some time in the future."

Colorado Sunshine.

It is wonderful what effect a few days of customary Colorado weather will have on vegetation. A gentleman said yesterday that he had seen a ripe strawberry on a vine in the eastern part of the city. Although this is nothing unusual for Colorado, it may seem altogether improbable to new comers who have become disgusted with the disagreeable weather which we have lately experienced. The same gentleman stated that the strawberry above referred to hung on the south side of the vine, while on the north side of the same vine the blossoms were just beginning to show themselves.

A still more wonderful and heretofore unheard of effect of the pleasant weather comes to us in the report that many of the cattle that have died during the cold snap are coming back to life, while others which died from starvation are kicking as they rest on their sides, being too weak to rise on their feet. This last statement is indeed astonishing, but as it does not come to us from a very authentic source, we cannot vouch for the truth of it.

Personal.

Mr. F. H. Austin, who has been absent from the city for some time, returned on the morning express yesterday.

Mr. Will Riddle, formerly one of the proprietors of the National was among the south bound passengers on the morning train yesterday.

Mr. J. P. Price, the western representative of Messrs. Clarke, Friend, Fox & Co., the Chicago paper manufacturers, paid Colorado Springs a visit yesterday.

Mr. Harry Turney has severed his connection with the firm of Turney Bros. and left yesterday morning for Silver Cliff where he will probably start in business for himself.

Mr. W. W. Borst, superintendent of the western division of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, passed south on the morning express yesterday after having spent several days with his family in Denver.

The committee appointed for the purpose, at a recent meeting of citizens, selected yesterday, a ten acre tract of land for the capitol grounds. This tract of land is the generous gift of the Colorado Springs company and lies on the west side of Cascade avenue, and extends northward from Boulder street 900 feet, and towards the west across the Monument, taking in the wooded bottom land. The south boundary is just opposite the Cascade villas. The ground will be platted at once and steps will be taken to have it fenced and to have trees planted.

The M. E. church lyceum held its regular meeting in the church last evening the order of exercises being unusually interesting. Mr. Ward contributed his second paper on travels. Miss Marston delighted the audience with her solos-one of which entitled "When the Tide Comes In" was exceeding well rendered. A recitation by Miss Belle Hicks was followed by a debate on the following subject: "Resolved, that selfishness is a greater evil than pride." The Rev. W. L. Slutz argued in favor of the affirmative while the negative was sustained by Messrs. Owen and Easterley. After a brief but able discussion the judges decided in favor of the affirmative. The lyceum has become a source of much entertainment and it now has an active membership of over sixty.

SOCORRO.

What an American Has to Say of the Place and People.

From an Occasional Correspondent of the Gazette.

SOCORRO, January 31.- One might pass all around this city of great expectations and never notice it any more than one would notice an ant's nest. The dwelings are all adobe, one story, built in the shape of a long box and the color of the ground. Little chimneys, the shape of a hornet's nest, protude from the roof and within the dweling are little fire places shaped like an egg shell. In these the Mexican women all do their cooking except that they have out door ovens shaped liked old-fashioned straw bee hives. These ovens serve for hen coops when not in other use and are undoubtedly very agreeable to the hen's toes after the bread is drawn. There is no regularity in building but the houses are stuck in promiscuously like a lot of loose bricks. There is a plaza, however, with two entrances, one on the north and the other on the south, and outside of this in great confusion are dwellings and scaffolds with fodder upon them. Children abound. Dogs, dirt and donkeys are plentiful. Pigs with slim noses, long legs, and thin flanks act as scavengers. The wayfarer if he become too much engrossed may wake up to find himself tumbling into some dug-out where a shiftless Mexican has made his hovel.

The women do the family washing in a stream which flows from a hot spring in the mountains. They have no tubs and use only a flat stone for both tub and wash board. This stream also affords the supply of water for the town, the Mexicans thinking it all right to wash and bathe in its water, especially if sick, as they believe it has healing qualities. The poor class of Mexicans here are as ignorant and low as brutes, they have no privacy in their habits, and when the weather is warm go nearly naked, but they always wear the indispensible shawl. All the people, even in the cold winter weather, are very thinly clad and many are barefooted.

It is all very well to see this squalor and to laugh at the absurd things if one's stay be only transient, but if one has to make his home here it becomes almost unbearable. There are very few attractions here now. Business is nothing, most people think the mines a myth, there is no society, except a few missionaries who are pleasant people.

The mines in Mongolone promise fair, but none except the most daring go there on account of the terrible Indians. No one feels sure of his scalp for a day and all keep in readiness for action and scarce a day passes without some outrage. Mongolone is about two hundred miles from here. Some fear that we may have trouble from Indians here. It is said they have been within fourteen miles of Socorro.

I suppose you have heard the full particulars of the shooting on Christmas eve of Mr. Conkling, editor of the Socorro Sun, by Mexicans but only one who was present can realize the terror of that time. The shooting was followed by threats of killing every American. Then came the guarding of the town, the arrival of volunteers and of troops, the shooting of the murderous Mexican. The town was completely deserted, all gathering for mutual protection. No American dared walk the streets. On my return three shots were fired across my path just ahead of me. What with the terrors of that time and the apprehensions of the Indians who were then, and still are, on the war path one can readily imagine that I did not find Socorro a particularly jolly place.

C. W. H.

The Huerfano Herald has the following kind words for Rev. H. B. Gage, formerly of this city: "Rev. H. B. Gage, of Pueblo, occupied the pulpit in the church both morning and evening, on Sunday, according to previous announcement. In consequence of the extreme difficulty in navigating the streets the congregations were not as large as they otherwise would have been, but enough were present to show that La Veta is settled with an appreciative people that turn out to divine worship when an opportunity is afforded, in spite of mud and elements. His sermons were appropriate, interesting in the highest degree, and delivered in an easy, graceful and winning way that went home to his hearers with good effect. Rev. Gage is a minister of more than ordinary ability, a man of refinement and of good social qualties, and a gentleman in every sense of the word. We hope to have the pleasure to listen to his ministrations again at an early day."

Mr. C. B. Burton wants to dispose of his ranch of 160 acres located on West Monument creek, fourteen miles northwest of Colorado Springs. It is one of the best ranches in the county having abundance of good water, ten acres of hay land and a comfortable house and outbuildings. For further particulars see advertisement in the For Sale column.

Mr. Edward Ferris, of the Pike's Peak dry goods emporium, has formed a copartnership with Mr. Isaac J. Jones, jr., and the name of the firm will in the future be Messrs. Ferris & Jones. Mr. Jones came here from Philadelphia some two months ago, where he was engaged in the dry goods business for a number of years. Besides being a man of extended experience in the business, Mr. Jones is a pleasant and courteous gentleman, and one whom we are glad to welcome among us.

BRIGHT BOYS.

They Play a Serious Joke on an Old Granger.

The Leadville Democrat is responsible for the following story: "Clements Doner is a New York farmer, living near Peru, Clinton county, in that state. Clements is now in Leadville, stopping at the Eighth Avenue hotel, and he is scratching his head, wondering how the whole thing came about. About two weeks ago Clements left his farm to go to town, two miles distant, to get a doctor for his sister in-law, who was ill. Thinking to kill two birds with one stone, he put one hundred dollars in his pocket to pay a debt which he owed in town. When he got there and had sent the doctor out home, he was met by two friends, Ed. Lee and Ed. Miner, and they, ascertaining that he had funds, seduced him into a neighboring saloon and proceeded to get him drunk. He passed into unconsciousness, like other very drunken men do, and the next thing he knew he was into the middle of next day and reclining in a railway coach about four hundred miles west of his home. He was completely bewildered and felt that the spell of some necromancer had been laid upon him. In the course of a few moments the occurrences of the previous day broke upon him, and he began to go through himself, so to speak. He found in his pocket-book a ticket to Leadville and ten dollars in money. He felt reckless, and determined to utilize that ticket, so he came to Leadville and put up in the carbonate camp a few days, and wondered what on earth he came here for and how he got started. He is now tired of sight-seeing and wants to get back. He thinks his two friends played a practical joke on him, got him drunk, put him on the train with the ticket and ten dollars and left him to find the point of the joke when he got sober. He ought to provide funerals for these jokers when he gets back."

The Texas Western Construction company have filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk, Messrs. Daniel C. Dodge, Lyman K. Bass, George W. Cushing, William M. Hastings and Benjamin F. Woodward being the subscribers thereto. The corporation is organized for the purpose of extensively operating the construction of lines of railroad and telegraph in Colorado, New Mexico, Texas, New York and the republic of Mexico, on a capital stock of $1,500,000. Henry H. Honore, Abel D. Breed, Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., Adrian Honore, Robert S. Sauzade, Leo Lehman and Elias L. Frank will constitute the managing board of directors for the first year, and the principal office of the company will be in Colorado Springs.

The firemen are talking some of organizing their teams for the state tournament which takes place in August. The companies are having an occasional spurt but will not go into training for some time yet. Colorado Springs ought to carry off the laurels this year as it has a home course in its favor.

Business Locals.

Ten cents per line for first insertion; five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Advertisements to go in every other day, or on certain days of the week only, ten cents per line for each insertion.

Dr. J. C. Rose, successor to S. B. Westerfield, undertaker. Embalming a specialty. a 19 6m.

DYSPEPSIA & LIVER COMPLAINT.

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints? If you think so call at our store and get a bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. Every bottle has a printed guarantee on it. Use accordingly and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by F. E. Robinson. e 16*

Goods must be sold to meet liabilities. More goods than money. Come and get bargains while they are to be had. D. W. Robbins. a 22 tf

If you want a good broiled steak, go to the Bon Ton restaurant in Opera House block. C. W. BRATTON, Prop. a-25 1m.

Come and get a supply of boots and shoes while you can get them at any price at D. W. Robbins'. a 22 tf

Charley Stearns has a large stock of heavy overcoatings which he will dispose of at cost in order to make room for his spring stock. a 23 tf

Leave orders at Stevens & Rouse's stable for carriage to and from day and night trains. Charges same as the 'bus. a 12 tf

All kinds of goods at a great bargain for the next thirty days at the clothing, boot and shoe store of D. W. Robbins. a 22 tf

KANSAS BEEF LOINS
at the North End Market. a-11 tf

Leave your orders for F. HERMAN'S lager beer, wines and liquors, at Mr. Charles Heiser's butcher shop, 4 doors north of GAZETTE printing office. a-4-tf.

The subscribers have this day formed a copartnership, under the style of Ferris & Jones, for the purpose of carrying on a general wholesale and retail dry goods and fancy-goods business. All debts due the late firm of Edward Ferris will be received and receipted for by them, and all claims against Edward Ferris must be presented to them for payment.

EDWARD FERRIS,
ISAAC T. JONES, JR.

Referring to the above, I would respectfully ask for the new firm the patronage so kindly and liberally bestowed upon the old one, assuring the buyers that every effort will be made to make it to the interest and pleasure of every one to deal with us. Respectfully,

b 5 tf EDWARD FERRIS.
COLORADO SPRINGS, Feb. 5, 1881.

M. L. DE COURSEY'S

Real Estate Column.

SPECIAL.

FOR SALE.

The valuable hay and pasture ranch property known as "Brown's hay ranch" This is probably the best hay ranch in El Paso county. It is located 15 miles south and west of Colorado Springs, and three miles southwest of the town of Fountain, and the same distance from the track of the D & R G R R Co It comprises 1080 acres of land enclosed with wire fence of four wires and top board, with cedar posts; has seven large springs of ever living soft water, a tight log house of six rooms, which is supplied with water brought into the house through pipes from the springs; milk house with spring water running through it; grout house 18x24 feet; grout corral 100x100 feet; grout feed room and stabling for 75 head of stock; hay barn 64x140 feet; a half mile race track in good condition; 250 fruit and ornamental trees, besides good natural timber; large beds of asparagus and strawberries, first class private ditch rights; also wagon house and blacksmith shop. The average yearly hay crop is 300 tons; has run up to 425 tons. Besides this the receipts from pasturing horses amount to $1,400 to $2,000 yearly. All this winter there have been 120 head horses at pasture on the ranch, at $2 a head per month. I will sell this exceptionally valuable property for $10,000. Map may be seen and further particulars obtained at my office.

M. L. DeCoursey,

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at Manitou, including surrounding grounds, and also the furniture in the hotel; or will rent the hotel and sell the furniture and bedding therein. This has always been a popular hotel; from its beautiful location and its proximity to the celebrated iron springs, and parties wishing to engage in the business will find this a favorable opportunity.

A beautiful cottage at Manitou, containing four rooms and has a large porch. The cottage fronts south and is located on one of the most valuable lots at Manitou. This is the property known as the Thurlow Cottage. It cost over $2,000 and will be sold for $1,500 cash, if at once.

Two very desirable lots, 50x190 feet each, within 5 blocks of postoffice and one block of Pike's Peak avenue. $400 if sold at once.

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House of 6 rooms, porch, city water, lot 80x100, Huerfano, near Weber. $2,500.

House of 7 rooms, all large, with high ceilings, 6 large closets, good barn, 600 strawberry plants, fine lawn, city water; lot 50x190; Weber street below Cucharas. Cheap at $2,500.

House of 5 rooms, pantry, cellar, porch, stone foundation, well, 3 acres of ground, east of city. $1,500.

House of 5 rooms, stone cellar, barn, lawn and shrubbery, city water, lot 50x190; Vermijo st, facing Alamo Square; $1,500 of which $500 may stand.

House of 4 rooms and pantry, cellar, lawn, and trees, water in house and yard; lot 50x190; East Pike Peak's avenue, facing south. $1,400.

House of 8 rooms, lot 100x190, lawn, trees, etc., North Wahsatch. $1,800.

House of 7 rooms, corner lot on North Nevada, stable, etc. $2,900.

House of 6 rooms, on lot 100x190, North Tejon. $2,200.

House of 5 rooms, on lot 50x190, Cucharas, near Cascade, cellar, city water, trees. $1050.

House of 3 rooms, lot 37½x190 feet, fenced, city water; Corona, south of Huerfano street. $600.

House of 3 rooms on corner lot 50x190, South Wahsatch. $500.

House of 7 rooms, city water, lot 50x190, Wahsatch below Huerfano. $1,700.

House of 2 rooms, city water, fruit trees, lot 50x190, Tejon above Monument. $800.

House of 2 rooms, lot 50x190, Weber above Cache la Poudre $525.

Brick house of 6 rooms and pantries, city water, trees, strawberries, grapes, currants, raspberries and fruit trees, hen house, coal house, carriage house, stable for 10 horses and 4 tons of hay, lot 50x190, Weber below Pike's Peak avenue.

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Unfurnished house of 3 rooms, Wabash ave., near Platte. $15 per month.

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